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Judith Enck

EPA Regional Administrator

Saratoga Springs, New York

Dear Ms. Enck:

I currently reside in Hoosick Falls, New York for the past 33 years. My concern is over the PFOA in our drinking water that makes it unsafe to drink, cook with, or shower with.

Over the past, I have lost a newborn in 1982 from low birth since she only weighed 1 pound 14 ½ ounces at six months of age. She passed away at birth in 1982.

Also, I currently have acid reflux, thyroid disease, a hytal hernia epilepsy, and have had reoccurrence of stomach polyps, colon polyps, irritable bowel syndrome and other issues.

I have currently gotten thirty signatures from the Hoosick Falls area regarding a class action law suit. We currently have an attorney representing us regarding this law suit.

I recently went to my endocrinologist regarding the thyroid condition and was authorized to return in three months for a follow up because of high sensitivity level in my thyroid.

I was authorized by my attorney to have the PFOA blood screening but the test itself costs \$474.00 and I am on disability with low income and cannot afford this test. The health department has reached out to us but were unable to tell when we are able to get the test done through their costs. The residences in Hoosick Falls feel this test should be covered by the health department of the plant, St. Gobain who is responsible for this contamination.

Your assistance in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

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